

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

FEBRUARY 27, 1891.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. DAVIS, from the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following

REPORT:

[To accompany H. R. 12777.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 12777) to increase the pension of John H. R. Story, Company F, One hundred and ninth Regiment Pennsylvania Veteran Volunteers, have examined the same and report :

Your committee have examined the case provided for in the bill, and recommend its passage for the reasons submitted by the House committee, as follows :

The Committee on Invalid Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 12777) granting an increase of pension to John H. R. Story, submit the following report :

Claimant enlisted in F Company, One hundred and ninth Pennsylvania Volunteers, and was discharged in January, 1866. Received a severe shell wound of right hip at Chancellorsville May 3, 1863. Lost right leg at Dallas, Ga., May 28, 1864. Was also wounded in the body. He is receiving \$30, all under the law he can for loss of leg, but nothing for his other severe and disabling wounds. He suffers greatly from nervous prostration, neuralgia, and sciatica. The stump of leg is short, irregular in shape, cicatrix imperfect and sensitive. He is poor and unable to earn his family a support.

Your committee recommend the passage of the bill, amended by striking out "sixty dollars" and inserting "forty-five dollars."